

**NOTICE OF APPEAL
FROM THE EXAMINER TO
THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

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In re Application of: **SUWALA ET AL**
Application Number: **10/790,946**
Confirmation Number: **2173**
Filing Date: **March 2, 2004**
For: **Hierarchical Protection Switching Framework**
Art Unit: **2416**
Examiner Name: **ALIA, Curtis A.**
Attorney Docket No.: **36765**

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner.

☒ **The fee for this Notice of Appeal is (37 CFR 41.20(b)(1)) : (fee code 1401) \$ 540**

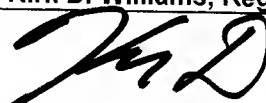
☒ **No extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 is believed necessary. To the extent that a petition for a different or additional extension of time is deemed necessary, a petition for a sufficient extension of time to render the present submission timely is requested. Please charge Deposit Account No. 501430 the appropriate petition fee. \$0**

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